



State of California – The Resources Agency  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
845 Casa Grande Road  
Petaluma, CA 94954

**PROJECT TITLE:** Install Three Tent Cabins

**LOCATION:** Bothe Napa Valley State Park

**COUNTY:** Sonoma

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Install three tent cabins at campsites #22, 24, and 26 in Bothe Napa Valley State Park to enhance visitors camping experience and to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and meet requirements in the "California State Parks Accessibility Guidelines." Mechanically excavate a trench in the existing roadway 18" wide X 24" deep X 75' long to install electrical and water lines to the campsites; excavate 10" of native soil at each campsite to install a fire ring and excavate 24" at each site to install picnic table anchors. Work will grade 18 inches at each campsite to accommodate tent cabin footing piers, aggregate base and footings around the perimeter of each tent cabin. Tent cabin #26 will be ADA accessible and will include handrails and posts and accessible ramps and electrical outlet.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Diablo Vista District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

☒ Categorical Exemption

Class: 3,4

Section: 15303, 15304

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of the construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures included as "tent cabins" and minor public alterations in the condition of land included in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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